

Appomattox Court House National Historical Park P. O. Box 218 State Route 24 Appomattox, Virginia 24522 434-352-8987 phone 434-352-8568 fax

School Groups and Curriculum Based Education Programs

- 1. It is best if you can provide us with 2-3 weeks notice. We are unable to provide Curriculum Based Education Programs or loan a DVD of the park film if we do not have this notice. You may still visit, but we may not have staff available for special programs.
- 2. Please try to get the documentation back to us as soon as possible. Once we have received all of the needed documentation, we will send out a confirmation email.
- 3. Due to concerns about impacts on the historic resources at Appomattox Court House, we are not able to accommodate multiple large groups at one particular time. If there is a conflict, we will contact you and try to accommodate all groups requesting a reservation.
- 4. If you are leading a group of students please remember, we require one adult for every ten students. Teachers and group leaders are responsible for their students.

For our education program descriptions, please visit:

http://www.nps.gov/apco/learn/education/upload/2014-Ed-Program-Flyer-3.pdf

Most of our education programs are 20 minutes in length and due to resource limitations; we must divide larger groups into groups of about 25 people each. If you are requesting multiple programs, please remember to allow 20 minutes per program and 5 minutes to move between programs.

For example: Excellent Elementary School is bringing its 4th graders (two classes of approximately 20 children each) along with two teachers and at least two other adult chaperons. They wish to arrive at 9:30am and plan to leave by 12:00pm. The schedule may look something like this:

| 9:30 Arrival and introduction | Group 1 | Group 2 |
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| 9:45 1st station | McLean House | Parole Passes |
| 10:05 rotate to the next station | | |
| 10:10 2 nd station | Parole Passes | McLean House |
| 10:30 rotate to the next station | | |
| 10:35 3 rd station | Soldier Life | Civil War Kitchen |
| 10:55 rotate to the next station | | |
| 11:00 4 th station | Civil War Kitchen | Soldier Life |
| 11:20 Self guided time/Lunch | | |
| 12:00 Depart | | |
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Please fill out the following information and email it to brandon_chamberlain@nps.gov or **fax it to 434-352-8568** Attention "Group Tours Coordinator." Please call 434-352-8987 x 231 with any questions. Requested Date of Visit: _____ Time: ____ Day of Week: ____ Name of Group: _____ Total Number in Group: _____ Adults: ____ Children: ____ Seniors_____ _____Interpretive Program Requested? Age/or grade of children: _____ Which Education Programs would you like? (Approximately 25 minutes each) For a description please visit: http://www.nps.gov/apco/learn/education/upload/2014-Ed-Program-Flyer-3.pdf ____ McLean House ____ Parole Passes ____Soldier Life ____ Musket Firing Demonstration Toys and Games Home Front Civil War Medicine Civil War Kitchen Stacking of Arms Program (40 minutes) **All programs can only be presented if staffing is available ** Group Contact Person: Phone: ______ Fax: _____ Email: Group Address: City: _____ State: ____ Zip Code: _____ **Additional Information Requested** DVD of park film (Must be returned) Brochure Teacher Information is available on the park website, www.nps.gov/apco (look in "Learn About the Park" then "Education" then "Curriculum Materials" or "Bring the Park to Your School" sections for more information). Also available on our website is Where Our Country Reunited, an integrated teaching/learning package designed for 4th and 5th grade students. Please attach any special request or accessibility needs.